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FIRE AT JOHNSTOWN

Wipes Out Twenty-five Buildings, Partially Spared

BY THE RUSH OF WATER.

Another Affliction Visited on the Stricken People—The Loss Unknown—Clearing Away the Debris—Bodies Blown Out.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 24.—A sweeping fire broke out in the First ward at 12:40 this afternoon. The flames spread rapidly and at one o'clock twenty houses were burning. Among the buildings burning is the First ward school house. All the engines in the place were called out and the most intense excitement prevailed. Nearly all the houses burning were more or less destroyed by the flood.

TWENTY-FIVE BUILDINGS BURNED. The fire consumed all but 3 of the buildings in the district bounded by Market, Walnut street and Main street and the river. 25 houses were totally destroyed, including the large brick school house. Many of the buildings destroyed had been washed from their foundations, though many of them contained household goods which had been saved from the flood. But a small amount of the goods were saved. The flames spread rapidly and at one o'clock twenty houses were burning. Among the buildings burning is the First ward school house. All the engines in the place were called out and the most intense excitement prevailed. Nearly all the houses burning were more or less destroyed by the flood.

CAUSE OF THE FIRE. It seems that a boy was burning a little pile of rubbish on Chestnut street, when the wind caught some of the embers and carried them into the school house. In a few minutes the fire jumped into a huge pile of partly upturned frame houses. A number of the houses which had been burned, or are burning, were being cleaned out and repaired, which added to the trouble and was a source of great anxiety to the people.

BODIES BLOWN OUT. This afternoon between two and three o'clock a charge of dynamite was exploded near the second arch from the east end of the bridge, and from the great body of wreckage tossed in all directions, and the remnants afterward gathered together indicated that at least six corpses had been blown up. They were doubtless all close together near where the dynamite was discharged. The bodies were blown out of the houses and scattered in all directions. The bodies were blown out of the houses and scattered in all directions. The bodies were blown out of the houses and scattered in all directions.

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PROBABLE OCEAN DISASTER.

Evidence of a Wreck Washed Ashore at Vineyard Haven.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., June 24.—For several days past there have been evidences of some ocean disaster in the washing ashore on these islands of wreckage. To-day a bundle of women's clothing, evidently done up in great haste, was picked up on the beach at Edgartown, and a life preserver that came from the City of Rome was also found. Considerable wreckage painted green and slate color is coming ashore on the island. Among that found at Smith's Point to-day were gilt mouldings in considerable quantities, one large door with three round glass circular top light, one window sash, evidently belonging to some steamer; and also steamship Victoria bills of lading, wine cards of steamship Haytien Republic, were washed ashore at Nantuxet to-day. A mast about two feet in diameter, square rigged with wire rigging, was also found with the wreckage at that point. Everything points to a collision between the Victoria and the Haytien Republic, though the life preservers belonging to the City of Rome add to the mystery enveloping the supposed disaster.

MRS. HAYES SINKING.

The Family Realize that Death is Near at Hand.

FREEMONT, O., June 24.—Mrs. Rice and Hilbush are in constant attendance at the Hayes mansion. They report Mrs. Hayes' condition as follows: Pulsation 127, temperature 102, respiration 42. There is no possible chance for recovery, and death is a question of few hours at most.—The family and near relatives are alone at the bedside of the dying woman, and know that the last is near at hand.

At 12 o'clock the family have not retired, and some are resting in chairs in the parlor. There is no doubt that the family consider recovery doubtful and are watching every symptom and change in fear of the worst. President and Mrs. Harrison sent telegrams of sympathy to-day.

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OHIO REPUBLICANS.

The State Convention to Meet at Columbus To-day.

GOV. FORAKER'S POPULARITY.

May Prove Too Great to Overcome. The Other Candidates Hopeful. An Immense Crowd Expected.—Situation Reviewed.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 24.—The preparations for the State convention to-morrow and Wednesday are about completed, and the expectations are that the attendance will be the largest at any similar gathering in the State since the war. There is unusual interest in the result, and the rank and file of the party will be here to see how it is done. A great deal depends upon the work of the convention; not that the Republican ticket entire will not be elected, together with the Legislature, but it is the desire of those who have the interests of the party at heart, that the strongest ticket possible should be put in the field, that the victory may be so complete and the defeat of the enemy so overwhelming that there may be no question about the standing of Ohio in alleged "old" years for some time to come. The railroads, by liberality and competition, have placed the question of transportation within the reach of hundreds who would not have thought of attending the convention, and they will be here and will have to be entertained. A sample of the low rates is furnished in the newspaper. The ticket is a round trip from Cincinnati. This will put an immense number of people in from Cincinnati, outside of those who expect to attend the convention.

The only gubernatorial candidate who was on the ground yesterday was Speaker or Governor, who came in Monday evening. General Kennedy came along to-day. A few friends of the other candidates are also here, but as yet they have not made much noise for the want of necessary delegate material upon which to operate.

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MURDERED HIS BEST FRIEND.

The Sad Result of a Sunday Spree, and a Quarrel About a Five Cent Piece.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 24.—Yesterday Charles Jones and Alex James, colored, hired a buggy and started to Malden, taking with them a dozen bottles of beer. They went some distance above Malden and on their return one of them noticed a nickel lying on the bottom of the buggy. Jones once laid claim on it and James disputed his ownership. Just what passed between them is not known, as none besides themselves were present, but the dispute ended in Jones drawing a revolver and shooting James. Immediately after the shooting he started his buggy and drove away, leaving James lying on the ground. The people seeing the buggy coming thought it was a runaway and rushed out to stop it. Jones leaped from the buggy, and drawing his revolver, flourished it in a dangerous manner and told every one to keep away from him. The crowd soon caught the situation and disarmed him, and took him before a Justice who committed him to jail. He says that both himself and James were drunk, and that his recollection of the affair is very indistinct, but he professes the utmost regret for what has occurred, saying that James was the best friend he had in the world. The wounded man died to-day.

WHERE IS HE?

Hon. J. W. Parrish's Friends Anxious as to His Whereabouts—A Case Shrouded in Mystery.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 24.—The friends of Hon. J. W. Parrish, a member of the Legislature from Kanawha county, are alarmed at his prolonged absence. He has been in Washington for several months past looking after a Government appointment which had been promised him, and he was expected to return about three weeks ago, but though he has been anxiously looked for he has not returned, and his whereabouts are unknown. Letters written by him to family and friends have been returned unopened.

MINNIE MAKES CHARGES.

Against the Charleston Postmaster—A Serious Allegation.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 24.—A sensation has been caused here by the publication of charges by Judge McGinnis, the Republican Congressman-elect from this district, that his mail matter, especially letters relating to the contest for his seat, was detained by the Democratic postmaster at Charleston until too late to be of value when delivered. Judge McGinnis declared that he has conclusive proof of the fact, and demands the immediate removal of the offending official. The postmaster is Senator Kenna's step-father.

A New Democratic Paper.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

GRATON, W. Va., June 24.—The first number of the new Democratic paper will appear this week and will be styled the Grafton Leader. Its publishers and proprietors are A. J. Wilkinson, of this city, and Levi Davis, of Salem, W. Va., having full editorial control and Davis superintending the mechanical work of the office. It will be located on the second floor of "Whitescar's" block.

A Floater Found.

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PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 24.—The body of a floater was picked up at Long Bottom below here and buried. It was that of a man, and was badly decomposed.

Pension Examiners.

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PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 24.—The new Board of Pension Examiners for the county has been organized and is composed of Drs. Bond, Kendall and Sharp.

FAYETTE COKE WORKS.

Their Purchase by M. J. Rainey—The Amount of Money Paid.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 24.—A deed has been recorded in Fayette county conveying coke property to W. J. Rainey for the sum of \$92,500. The seller is James Cochran. In view of the present condition of the coke trade, this deal is especially noteworthy. The interest thus purchased was 57 1/2 per cent of the Fayette works, a large coke plant in the Connellsville region, of nearly the entire interest of the two firms. Mr. Rainey now owns 1,300 acres of Dunbar township, and will commence work on new coke works at Dunbar. Improvements have been decided upon and will be added as soon as the condition of trade justifies it.

Class Day at Yale.

New Haven, Conn., June 24.—The annual class-day exercises of the Senior class of Yale occurred this afternoon and were attended by 2,000 people. The class was headed by Charles H. Shattuck, of Washington; Howard V. Vernon, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph S. McMahon, Dayton, O.; Robert T. Platt, Milford, Conn.; Donald McLean Barstow, of Flushing, L. I. After the histories were read, the class was planted near the walls of the new recreation building during which an ode was sung. The ivy planted was a sapling taken from an ivy which covers a famous castle in France.

A Railroad Deal.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 24.—It is reported on what is regarded as good authority that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company have completed negotiations for the purchase of the Oregon railway (narrow gauge) lines. These lines extend from Dundee to Arlie, on the west side of Willamette river and from Reid Landing to Coburg, on the east side of the river. Both lines represent about 240 miles of road. The price paid is reported to be one million and a half dollars.

Springing Among the Mining Miners.

Spring Valley, Ill., June 24.—The coal miners have been locked out since May 1, because they would not agree to a reduction in wages. The town has been in a state of anarchy. Most of the people who have gone away are men, leaving large families of women and children unprotected. Outside relief so far has amounted to about 80 cents per family in the aggregate. There is great destitution and distress, and many families are absolutely without food.

Probably Gone West.

HARRISBURG, Va., June 24.—In the local option election to-day a large vote was polled in the district in which Harrisburg is situated. The district has probably gone west. Harrisburg gives a majority of four for the "dry."

BURKE'S EXTRADITION.

The Application Arrives at Washington. Awaiting the President's Signature.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Geo. A. H. Baker, of the State Attorney's office of Illinois, arrived in the city last night bearing the application of the Illinois authorities for the extradition of Martin Burke, who is held under arrest at Winnetka for the murder of Dr. Cronin. The papers were presented to the Department of State immediately on the beginning of business this morning. They have already been examined in a preliminary way and have been found to be in a regular legal form. There will be no difficulty in the issuance of the extradition. It was caused by the absence for the day of the President, whose signature is required to the warrant. If he returns to-night this will be obtained by Mr. Baker, who will start for Chicago to-morrow and proceed thence to Winnetka. He says that the State Department officials are not at all disturbed by the fact that Burke was not so elected. The trial of McDow began to-day, Judge Kershaw presiding. This is just such a day as the day on which Capt. F. W. Dawson was buried over three months ago. It has been raining and blowing for forty-eight hours, but neither the cold east wind nor the rain have kept the people indoors. Dr. T. B. McDow is on trial for his life, charged with the murder of Captain Dawson. The court house is packed, and a large crowd of spectators is represented in the assemblage. A number of clergymen have secured seats at the bar and will sit through the case. When McDow entered the court room this morning he was somewhat nervous, but quickly recovered his self-possession and is looking on with as much apparent unconcern as any of the spectators.

THE CRONIN CASE.

The Latest Developments—Cronin was not a Victim.

CHICAGO, June 24.—To-night's sensation in the Cronin case is a circumstantial report that the authorities have information showing that a committee of Camp 20 of the Clan-na-Gael, after a formal trial, found Cronin guilty of being a British spy. The charge was made under the guidance of endeavoring to expel Cronin from the Clan-na-Gael. Cronin was a member of the Clan-na-Gael, and was a British spy. The charge was made under the guidance of endeavoring to expel Cronin from the Clan-na-Gael. Cronin was a member of the Clan-na-Gael, and was a British spy.

A TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Murder and Lynching Growing Out of a Quarrel in Bell County, Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 24.—A special gives the following particulars of a triple tragedy in Bell county, Kentucky: G. W. Norwood, of Birmingham, Ala., a contractor on the Cumberland Valley extension, was murdered Saturday at the camp near Cumberland Gap by an Italian named Tony Cravasso. Tony and his brother were bakers at the south end of Cumberland Gap tunnel and had sold bread to some of Norwood's men and had requested him to hold the men's pay till they could collect it. Tony and his brother were bakers at the south end of Cumberland Gap tunnel and had sold bread to some of Norwood's men and had requested him to hold the men's pay till they could collect it.

MADE THE AMERICANS TIRED.

A Chinese Play by Chinese Actors in New York—A Puzzling Exhibition.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The first Chinese play by Chinese actors ever presented in this city was given at the Windsor theatre this evening to a large audience of Gotham's Chinese, and a sprinkling of Americans. The play was a puzzling exhibition of the Chinese. It was a play about a Chinese man who was a spy. The play was a puzzling exhibition of the Chinese. It was a play about a Chinese man who was a spy.

FOUND TO BE INSANE.

Trinity of a Woman who Assisted her Husband to Commit Murder.

PHILADELPHIA, June 24.—Mrs. Wilhelmina Schoop, charged with acting as accessory with her convicted husband, Jack Schoop, to the murder of Anton Sechling, whose dismembered body was found in the Schuylkill river, was found to be insane. She was committed to the Eastern Hospital for the Insane at Norristown.

CURIOUS ACCIDENT.

A Policeman's Pistol Falls from His Holster and Kills a Man on a Street Car.

ST. LOUIS, June 24.—D. W. Terby, a young unmarried bookkeeper, was accidentally killed while in a car on the Olive street Cable Line yesterday. Police Officer Timothy Dolan's pistol fell from his holster as he was getting off the grip and striking the pavement went off and shot Terby in the head.

PECKED BY A HEN.

Blood Poisoning Set in and She Almost Lost Her Life.

BRAZIL, Ind., June 24.—Mrs. Maria Givens, aged 70 years, met with a peculiar accident a few days ago that came near resulting fatally. She was pecked on the back of the left hand by an infuriated hen. Blood poisoning resulted, and it required skillful medical attention to save her life.

Years of an Insurrection.

New York, June 24.—Captain Shaw, of the steamer Delta, which arrived last night from Port de Paix states that Hypolyte had arrived at Cape Hayti with his staff and was about to rejoin his army just before Port au Prince was taken. The steamer Delta was a French ship. It was a French ship. It was a French ship.

The Fisheries Squabble.

NEW YORK, June 24.—An Ottawa special says: It was stated in official circles here yesterday that no action will be taken at present by either the Dominion or British Government with regard to protesting the British seal vessels in Behring.

A Ballet Dancer Burned.

BERLIN, June 24.—During a gala performance at the Opera House last night in honor of the wedding of Prince Frederick Leopold and Princess Louise, of Schleswig, the costume of the premiere ballerina took fire and she was seriously burned.

A Boulangist Conference.

LONDON, June 24.—General Boulanger and some of the most prominent of his supporters will hold a conference here on Wednesday next.

Reverend Beagins.

LONDON, June 24.—Lord Charles Beagins will soon be appointed to the command of an iron-clad and will resign his seat in Parliament.

A Dying Princess.

LONDON, June 24.—Princess Augusta of Hesse, sister of the Queen of Denmark, is dying.

Cabinet Troubles.

ADELPHI, June 24.—The South Australian Ministry have resigned.

DIED.

WILLIAMS.—At the residence of George J. Taylor, on Monday, June 24, 1889, at the age of 85 years, Mr. J. Williams, of the firm of J. Williams & Co., of New York City. Funeral notice hereafter.

A CELEBRATED MURDER.

Recalled by the Trial of McDow for Killing Capt. Dawson.

THE SEVEN COLORED JOURS.

Who were Chosen by the Prisoner. Who is a White Man—A Triple Kentucky Tragedy—Gambler Lynched—Other Crimes.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 24.—The statement that Dr. McDow was recently elected Company Surgeon of the Lafayette Artillery, and that this action was regarded as significant of the drift of public opinion in regard to the case against McDow charged with the murder of Capt. Dawson, is incorrect. McDow's name does not appear in the list of officers elected as furnished for publication by Capt. Bolger, of the Lafayette Artillery. The statement that McDow was not so elected, is correct. The trial of McDow began to-day, Judge Kershaw presiding. This is just such a day as the day on which Capt. F. W. Dawson was buried over three months ago. It has been raining and blowing for forty-eight hours, but neither the cold east wind nor the rain have kept the people indoors. Dr. T. B. McDow is on trial for his life, charged with the murder of Captain Dawson. The court house is packed, and a large crowd of spectators is represented in the assemblage. A number of clergymen have secured seats at the bar and will sit through the case. When McDow entered the court room this morning he was somewhat nervous, but quickly recovered his self-possession and is looking on with as much apparent unconcern as any of the spectators.

Excitement on the Oil Exchange.

PITTSBURGH, June 24.—There was intense excitement to-day on the Petroleum Exchange. The market opened at \$3 1/2, and with a rush was forced to \$1 01 before a halt was made. The decline was almost as rapid. At 1:30 it was back to \$0 1/2. There are fears that many of the brokers will be hurt. It is said the prospect of the proposition to increase to-day, as the cause for the sharp advance in oil.

Two Years ago the Standard Oil Company closed a compact with the